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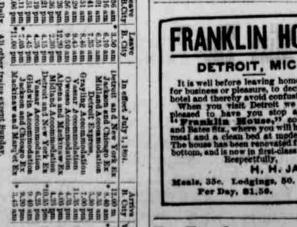
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Lettie Wynne's Trial.

neither-it's written as plain as

drawiny away her hand with a slight shudder. "I don't want to hear any more of my fortune toldit's getting to absurd. Send her away, Mr. Vail, it makes me nerv-

and contradictory fancies, and now, heart-sick and angry, he saw those smiles lavished on his rival, for one beam of which he would have given

Both gentlemen sprang at the instant. Mercy Gregg looked at Lettice with eyes of grave reproach. "Lettice! how can you torment

would serve you right to die an old maid." "Didn't you hear what my shriveled old prophetess foretold, that no

such fate was in store for me?" "Hush!" ejaculated Mercy, holding up her finger in a listening

For Ralph Seymour, light and agile as a wild deer, had stooped over the dizzy cliff, and disengaged the scarf from the bushes, where it lodged by the September winds, and stood looking scornfully triumphant at Vail, whose brow was

"Give that scarf to me," he said, in hoarse, stiffled accents. "No hand but mine shall restore it to Lettie."

calm, contemptuous reply.

Vail sprang forward to wrest the light trophy from the other's hand; at the same instant Seymour stepped back a pace. There was a crash, SPECIFICS. a rustle of tearing vines; the treacherous cliff gave way beneath the unwonted weight, and Seymour fell, still grasping the frail, fluttering scarf—fell, down that dizzy height with the hungry sea yawning

underneath. Vail clasped his hands over his eyes with a faint cry, as if to shut out the sick horror of his rival's white, set face; and Lettice, uttering a wild shrirk, that rang through the woods with awful distinctness.

"I have killed him! I have killed Forget that him! and I would have given my

Sometimes a single moment of the soul's agony turns a current of being from its warbling flow of sunshine to silence and darkness, Commencing with opening of navigation (about April 1st). Magnificent side-shade—so it was with Lettice Wynne.

"You are determined not to marry

you'll certainly be an old maid!" one man whom I could ever have Man on called husband, and he is gone where Earth. there is neither marrying nor giving in marriage."

long ago-ten years this September. She felt Lettice's forehead grow

she felt the chill dew on the trembling hand that was laid upon her "Don't, Mercy! I cannot, cannot bear it." And Mercy crept away, awed and

"Nonsense!" ejaculated Lettice,

She tossed back the lovely shower early vices, are treated through corof glossy, golden curls, as if relieved to be rid of the matter, while Dudly Vail dismissed the scarlet-cloaked ly Vail dismissed the scarlet-cloaked ly Vail dismissed the scarlet-cloaked losses with a gratuit that sont beldame with a gratuity that sent her rejoicing down the steep, romatic path that led to the beach below.

Vail threw himself lightly on the grass at the young beauty's

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peachy bloom.

an old maid; she who had been the around! Yet, was it not meet and fitting that she should drink to the young man. bitter dregs the cup her hand had an empty name, since the cruel blue min'," said the youngster, and

ling ridges of foam? "Yes, sir, Miss Wynne is at home," aid the cautious old servant." Did

ou wish to see her?" "Tell her." returned the slow, trangely modulated voice, "that I have come to bring her news of an old friend whom she has long believed dead; tell her-"

opened the door and motioned the stranger to enter. Tall, dark and silent, he stood

"You are Miss Wynne?" "I am." "I bring you tidings of him you ancied dead-of Ralph Seymour." She grew deadly white and

grasped convulsively at the back of chair. vessel, and for years he has dwelt other day." under the palm-groves of the East. What had he to gain or hope for? "I remember when they was a party Faint rumors floating toward those of us campin' up in the Black Hills Orient shores reached him of the that the temperature drapped so

Was it so?" heart.

He slightly inclined his head.

riage of the woman he had loved .-

sked, wildly. "Yes."

be the truest word!" The stranger paused; she could murcury drapped so quick that the see the flash of his dark eye, even

in that uncertain light. "She loved him?" he echoed Lettice stood, white and silentwas it a dream?

"Lettice-my Lettice!" Close, close against his strong true heart-no more doubts and misunderstandings, and bitter trials. Ten years-ten sad, slow years-

> glow of their exceeding great joy. Lettice Wynne did not die an old

> it seemed but a moment now in the

Summer Resort Incident.

Argus office. had wandered down to the shore of

lesson-to suffer and endure-and the lake to enjoy the evening breeze. after a while she rose up quietly, A short pier jutting out into the drew the crimson curtain, and lake looked inviting, and she went stirred the fire into a bright cherry out on it, unmindful of the several blaze that flickered softly over the urchins who were hovering about rippling, golden hair, that had not the boathouse at the shore end of yet lost its gloss, and the pale, the pier. A few minutes later her but was intercepted by one of the

"Say, mister, is that your girl?"

"She's my wife," replied the "Well, you tell her to go home, filled? What was love to her but 'cause we boys wants to go in swim-

> house to undress. The young man promptly informed his wife of the request, but she was enjoying herself and was not anxious to leave. She laughed

"Tell the boys," she said, when he had come to her, "to run out and jump into the water if they wish to.

and called to a new arrival at the

war. At its conclusion he returned

boathouse with the message, and

"Please, ma'am, the boys say they dasn't risk it."

Some High Old Lying. "I see," said the grocer thoughtman with ginger beard was sitting

"I don't call that nothing," said engagement-the probable mar- sudden that one of the mules in the outfit, which was in the act of kickin' was caught an' froze that way, "False-false!" gasped Lettice, an' stood with its heels in the air with one fluttering hand upon her two days. We had a thermometer along, but the cussed thing went back on us, so I can't ezzactly say

Wynne cherished his dead memory below zero the mercury freezes and with everlasting love; that she was hence cannot register." "That wasn't it at all, young true to him through good and evil. Tell him she loved him; that will man," said the man with the ginger beard, with fine scorn. "The durn

friction made it red hot and busted

the glass." The man from Potato creek began to snicker, but the man with the ginger beard stopped his mirth

under running expenses. The Land of Promise

loss?"

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yours is not as hard a case as mine," as the oyster said to the fisherman. "So you've had several little runs in the country, eh?" "Yes." "For

cultured Mr. Shiner. They say be commenced life as a bootblack." "Ah! I see. Began at the foot." Merchants. "Did your sister enjoy the serenade last night?" Little Jimmy-

OVER "Yes; she and Mr. Blinks laughed at everything you sang."-Chicago Inter Ocean. Fortune-teller - "Your husband will be rich, handsome and clever.'

Brown (to fiancee)-"By Jove!

wonderful! How did she guess it?"

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regetable? The art-o'-choke.

Well?" Caller-"No; sick."

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-to be brought up by a policemam.

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neavy mortgage at a high rate of

"I will write now something in

light and airy vein," said the clerk

"You talk of your troubles; but

health?" "No, my straw hat."-

who makes out gas bills.

Chicago Inter Ocean.

nan got any rum?"

interest.

Mike (beating the carpet)-'What's that spot there that's so Next to the Masonic Block. worn?" Mary-"Oh, that must have been just in front of the mis-Stadehome-"I suppose you were

received by those westerners in their

well known breezy style?" Bina-

week."-Buffalo Courier.

He-"I grant the doctor is a a handsome man; but he is awwouldn't you be conceited if you vere a handsome man?"-Truth. "And you wish to be treated?" said the dentist. "No, begorrah."

ton Star. Amateur poet-"It was at the time when my fiancee jilted me that I discovered my poetic vein and-" Good friend-"Yes, yes; a misfortune never comes alone.

Fliegende Blatter.

replied Mr. Dolan, "you shtop the

hurrut in this toot', an' Oi'll trate

to anythin' yez want."-Washing-

to propose. She-"Well, if you do, you'll find yourself on the left side almost immediately."-Truth. Flo-"Did you see much of Clarance on the yachting trip?"

May-"Well, yes; the weather was

pretty rough and we were thrown

He-"When I succeed in getting

on the right side of you I'm going

uently."-Brooklyn Eagle. Voice from the doorway-"Mary, what are you doing out there? Mary-"I'm looking at the moon." Voice from the doorway-"Well, tell the moon to go home, and you come into the house. It's half-past 11."-The Waterbury.

anything." Miss Bellefield-"That is why I call him good. I think it is real wicked to kill innocent animals and birds."—Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

wouldn't eat it.

run on three bawls."

*Hoffman, South Rogers City, *Y, May Lake Junction, Ar. McPhee, Ly

"You'll never die an old maid, my pretty lady! But there's trouble coming on you, my pretty!" pursued the old dame, bending her wrinkled face until it nearly touched the velvet-white hand. "A dark, dark trouble-and it's not far off,

"My scarf!" said Lettice, suddenly looking around. "Oh! there it hangs, just where those vines drop over the cliff. Pray don't trouble yourself, Mr. Vail, Ralph will get

those poor fellows so cruelly?-You are a heartless coquette! It

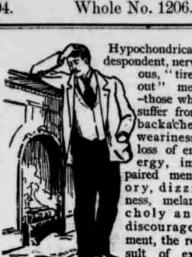
purple with suppressed anger. "We'll see about that," was the

fell fainting to the ground. own life for his!"

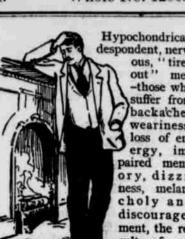
Lv. Cleveland, 6:15 p. m. | Lv. Buffalo, - 6:15 p. m. | Mr. Gardiner, Lettice? Child, Ar. Buffalo, - 7:30 A. m. | Ar. Cleveland, 7:30 A. m. | Mr. Gardiner, Lettice? "Hush, Mercy! There was but Other

> "But, Lettice, that happened so cold as marble against her cheek;

silent at the heart-break which she 4.45 had no spell to soothe; while Let-4.13 tice wept passionately on, into the stormy twilight and the starless For 3.40 night, with wailing winds sighing at the casement, and gusts of autumn rain sweeping wildly by .-Yes, she had learned life's hardest







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> lovely cheek, once touched with husband came to the lake to join her, Anold maid! Yes, she was indeed urchins. belle and beauty of all the country asked the boy.

> waves had swept Ralph Seymour's thinking that would settle the lifeless corpse away upon the spark- matter they all retired to the boat-

won't look." But at that moment Miss Wynne The little fellow hurried to the

there was an immediate council of before her in the uncertain firelight. to the end of the pier and said:

lessly, for he had forgotten that the "He is not dead; floating sense- behind the stove, "I see the temless upon the sea, he was rescued by perature dropped twenty degrees in the boats of an outward-bound fifteen minutes down in Texas the Do you ask why he did not return? the man with the ginger beard.

"You will return to him?" she jist how much of a drap it wuz." "Oh, yes," said the school teacher, "it is a well-known fact that at a "Then tell him that Lettice temperature of about forty degrees

> with a stony stare. "How will I enter the money the

ashier skipped with?" asked the

oook-keeper, "under profit and oss?" "No; suppose you put it

Summer Resort Incident.

It happened at one of the inland lake resorts of Wisconsin. A young man from Chicago was stopping there with his wife, and the wife had wandered down to the shore of the water of the water

